Form 3160-3 (August 2007)

#### **UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE\*** 

**FORM APPROVED** OMB NO. 1040-0137

**Expires: July 31, 2010** 

DEPARTMENT OF THE	5. Lease Serial No.					
BUREAU OF LAND MANAG	UTU-77301					
			6. If Indian, Allotee or Tribe Name			
APPLICATION FOR PERM	N/A					
1a. TYPE OF WORK	·	-	7. IF Unit or CA Agreeme	ent, Name and No.		
☑ DRILL		REENTER	BIG VALLEY UNIT			
1b. TYPE OF WELL			8. Lease Name and Well	No.		
	□ MULTIPLE	<b>☑</b>				
OIL WELL GAS WELL OTHER ZONE	MULTIPLE ZONE		NBZ 3E	)-30-8-24		
2. Name of Operator	Contact: Jan Nel	eon	A A PI WALL NO			
QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO.		an.nelson@questar.com  43-047-404				
3a. Address	3b. Phone No. (i	nclude area code)	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory			
11002 East 17500 South Vernal, Ut 84078	Phone 435-7	81-4331 Fax 435-781-4329	BIG VALLEY FIELD			
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in ac	cordance with and	d State requirements*)	11. Sec., T.R.M. or Blk. A	nd Survey or Area		
At Surface 648478X 696' FNL 2005' FW	NENW Section	30. T8S. R24F	SEC. 30, T8S	, R24E SLB&M		
At proposed production zone 443 9983 \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \		-109.258133	,	<u>,</u>		
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town			12. County or Parish	13. State		
36 +/- SOUTH OF VERNAL, UTAH			Uintah	UT		
15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest		16. No. of acres in lease	17. Spacing Unit dedicat	ed to this well		
property or lease line, ft. (also to nearest drig,un	it line if any)					
		1505.46	40			
696' +/-						
18. Distance from proposed location to nearest well, drilling,		19. Pprposed Depth	20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file			
completed, applied for, on this lease, ft		13,687'	ESB000024			
1,740' +/-		<u>'</u>				
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)		22. Approx. date work will start*	23. Estimated duration			
5067.0' GR	·	ASAP	35 days	<u> </u>		
24. Attachments						
The following, completed in accordance with the requi	rments of Onshore	e Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be	attached to this form:			
1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.		4. Bond to cover the operations unless	covered by an exisiting bond or	n file		
2. A Drilling Plan		(See Item 20 above).				
3. A surface Use Plan ( if location is on National Forest System	Lands,	5. Operator certification.				
the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service C	Office).	6. Such other site specific information	and/or plans as may be required	by the BLM		
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Signature Am Wuch	Name (printed/typ	ped) Jan Nelson	DATE	12/29/2008		
TITLE   Regulatory Affairs						
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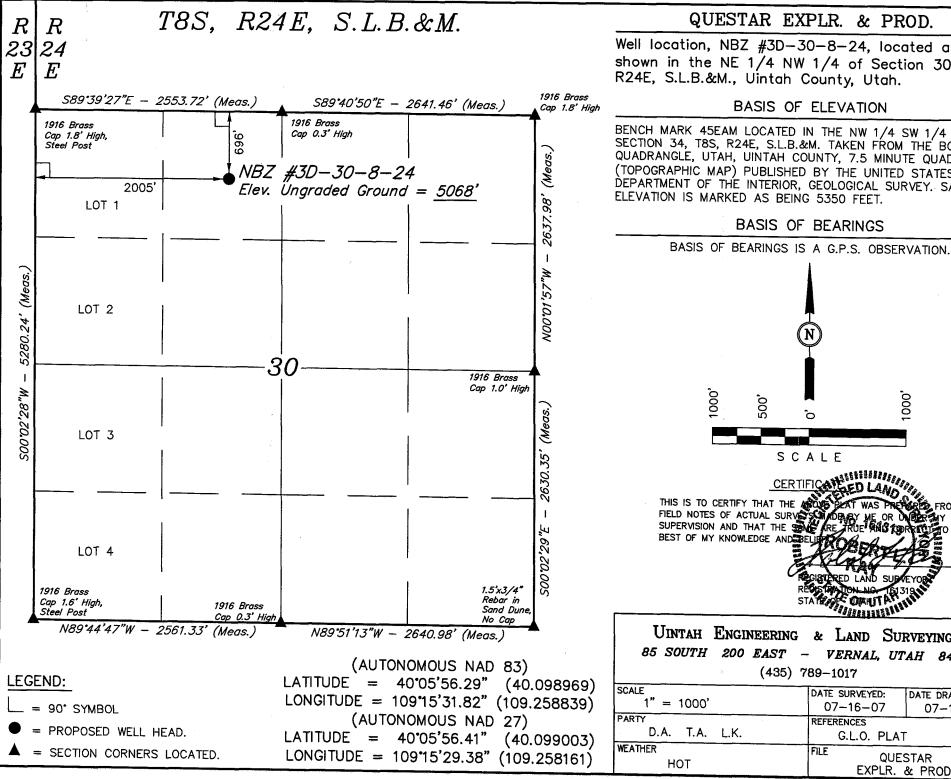
Application approval does not warrant or certify the applicant holds any legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon

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Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

DIV. OF OIL GAS & MINING

Title 18 U.S.C Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false; GAS & MINING fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any mater within its jurisdiction.



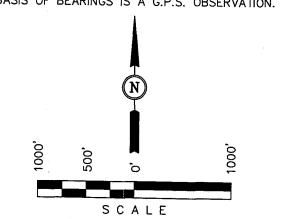
#### QUESTAR EXPLR. & PROD.

Well location, NBZ #3D-30-8-24, located as shown in the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 30, T8S. R24E, S.L.B.&M., Uintah County, Utah.

#### BASIS OF ELEVATION

BENCH MARK 45EAM LOCATED IN THE NW 1/4 SW 1/4 OF SECTION 34, T8S, R24E, S.L.B.&M. TAKEN FROM THE BONANZA. QUADRANGLE, UTAH, UINTAH COUNTY, 7.5 MINUTE QUAD. (TOPOGRAPHIC MAP) PUBLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. SAID ELEVATION IS MARKED AS BEING 5350 FEET.

#### BASIS OF BEARINGS



FIELD NOTES OF ACTUAL SURVEYS ADDRAS

### UINTAH ENGINEERING & LAND SURVEYING 85 SOUTH 200 EAST - VERNAL, UTAH 84078

	30) 100 1011	
SCALE 1" = 1000'	DATE SURVEYED: 07-16-07	DATE DRAWN: 07-17-07
PARTY D.A. T.A. L.K.	REFERENCES G.L.O. PLA	AT .
WEATHER HOT		ESTAR & PROD.

#### **Additional Operator Remarks**

Questar Exploration & Production Company proposes to drill a well to 13,687' to test the Dakota. If productive, casing will be run and the well completed. If dry, the well will be plugged and abandoned as per BLM and State of Utah requirements"

Please see Questar Exploration & Prodcution Company Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde Formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields on Townships 07, 08 and 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

Please see Onshore Order No. 1.

Please be advised that Questar Exploration & Production Company agrees to be responsible under the terms and conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon the lease lands.

Bond coverage for this well is provided by Bond No.ESB000024. The principal is Questar Exploration & Production company via surety as consent as provided for the 43 CFR 3104.2.

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## ONSHORE OIL & GAS ORDER NO. 1 Approval of Operations on Onshore Federal Oil and Gas Leases

All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with applicable laws, regulations (43 CFR 3100), Onshore Oil and Gas No. 1, and the approved plan of operations. The operator is fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of these conditions will be furnished the field representative to insure compliance.

#### 1. Formation Tops

The estimated tops of important geologic markers are as follows:

<u>Formation</u>		<u>Depth</u>
Uinta		Surface
Green River		1,607'
Wasatch		4,427'
Mesaverde		6,137
Sego		8,337'
Castlegate		8,497'
Mancos Shale		9,157
Dakota		13,137
TD		13,687'

#### 2. Anticipated Depths of Oil Gas Water and Other Mineral Bearing Zones

The estimated depths at which the top and bottom of the anticipated water, oil, gas or other mineral bearing formations are expected to be encountered are as follows:

Substance	<u>Formation</u>	<u>Depth</u>
Gas	Wasatch	4,427'
Gas	Mesaverde	6,137
Gas	Mancos Shale	9,157
Gas	Dakota	13.137'

All fresh water and prospectively valuable minerals encountered during drilling will be recorded by depth and adequately protected. All oil and gas shows will be tested to determine commercial potential.

All water shows and water-bearing sands will be reported to the BLM in Vernal, Utah. Copies of State of Utah form OGC-8-X are acceptable. If flows are detected, samples will be submitted to the BLM along with any water analyses conducted. Fresh water will be obtained from Wonsits Valley water right # A36125 (which was filed on May 7, 1964,) or Red Wash water right # 49-2153 (which was filed on March 25, 1960). It was determined by the Fish and Wildlife Service that any water right number filed before1989 is not

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depleting to the Upper Colorado River System, to supply fresh water for drilling purposes. All water resulting from drilling operations will be disposed of at Red Wash Central Battery Disposal Site; SWSE, Section 27, T7S, R23E or Wonsits Valley Disposal Site; SWNW, Section 12, T8S, R21E.

#### 3. Operator's Specification for Pressure Control Equipment:

- A. A 10,000 psi double gate, 10,000 psi single gate, 10,000 psi annular BOP (schematic included) from surface casing point to total depth.
- B. Functional test daily.
- C. All casing strings shall be pressure tested (0.2 psi/foot or 1500 psi, whichever is greater) prior to drilling the plug after cementing; test pressure shall not exceed the internal yield pressure of the casing.
- D. Ram type preventers and associated equipment shall be tested to the approved stack working pressure if isolated by test plug or to 50 percent of internal yield pressure of casing whichever is less. BOP and related equipment shall meet the minimum requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 for equipment and testing requirements, procedures, etc..., for a 10M system and individual components shall be operable as designed.

#### 4. <u>Casing Design:</u>

Hole Size	Csg. Size	Top (MD)	Bottom (MD)	Mud Weight	Wt. lb/ft	Grade	Thread	Cond.
26"	20"	surf	60-80'	N/A	Steel	Cond.	None	Used
12-1/4"	9-5/8"	surf	2,200'	N/A	36.0	J-55	STC	New
8-3/4"	7"	Surface	9,200'	11.5	26.0	HCP-110	LTC	New
6-1/8"	4-1/2"	surf	13,687'	13.5	15.1	P-110	LTC	New

Casing Strengths:		Collapse Burst		Tensile (minimum)		
9-5/8"	36 lb.	J-55	STC	2,020 psi	3,520 psi	394,000 lb.
7"	26 lb.	HCP-110	LTC	7,800 psi	9,950 psi	693,000 lb.
4-1/2"	15.1 lb.	P-110	LTC	14,350 psi	14,420 psi	406,000 lb.

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#### **MINIMUM DESIGN FACTORS:**

COLLAPSE: 1.125 BURST: 1.10 TENSION: 1.80

Area Fracture Gradient: Maximum anticipated mud weight:

Maximum surface treating pressure: 8,500 psi Over pull margin (minimum):

Pressure while bumping plug:

0.9 psi/foot 13.5 ppg

100,000 lbs

8,000 lbs

#### 5. **Cementing Program**

#### 20" Conductor:

Cement to surface with construction cement.

#### 9-5/8" Surface Casing: surf – 2,200' (MD)

Lead/Tail Slurry: 0' - 2,200'. 765 sks (1375 cu ft) Vericem cement + 0.25 lb/sk Kwik Seal (lost circulation additive) + 0.125 lb/sk Poly-E-Flake (lost circulation additive). Slurry wt: 13.5 ppg, Slurry yield: 1.80 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk, Slurry volume: 12-1/4" hole + 100% excess.

#### 7" Intermediate Casing: surf - 9,200' (MD)

Lead Slurry: 0' - 4,200'. 195 sks (750 cu ft) Halliburton Hi-Fill cement. Slurry wt: 11.0 ppg, Slurry yield: 3.84 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk, Slurry volume: 12-1/4" hole + 25% excess in open hole. Tail Slurry: 4,200' - 9,200'. 760 sks (945 cu ft) 50/50 Poz Premium cement + 0.6% Halad-322 (low fluid loss control) + 2.0% Microbond (expander) + 5.0% salt (accelerator) + 0.125 lb/sk Poly-E-Flake (lost circulation additive). Slurry wt: 14.35 ppg, Slurry yield: 1.24 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk, Slurry volume: 12-1/4" hole + 25% excess.

#### 4-1/2" Production Casing: surf - 13,687' (MD)

**Lead/Tail Slurry:** 4.200' - 13.687'. 650 sks (1010 cu ft) 50/50 Poz Premium cement + 20% SSA-1 (additive material) + 3 lb/sk silicalite compacted (additive material) + 0.5% Halad-344 (low fluid loss control) + 0.2% Halad-413 (low fluid loss control) + 0.2% HR-12 (retarder) + 0.2% Super CBL (expander) + 0.2% Suspend HT (suspension agent). Slurry wt: 14 ppg, Slurry yield: 1.55 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk, Slurry volume: 6-1/8" hole + 15% in open hole section.

\*Final cement volumes to be calculated from caliper log with an attempt to be made to circulate cement to the surface on the intermediate strings and 4,200' on the production string. A bond log will be run across the zone of interest and across zones as required by the authorized officer to insure protection of natural resources.

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#### 6. Auxiliary Equipment

- A. Kelly Cock yes
- B. Float at the bit yes
- C. Monitoring equipment on the mud system visually and/or PVT/Flow Show
- D. Full opening safety valve on the rig floor yes
- E. Rotating Head yes
- F. Request for Variance

Drilling surface hole with air:

A variance from 43 CFR 3160 Onshore Oil and Gas Order #2, Section III Requirements, subsection E. Special Drilling Operations is requested for the specific operation of drilling and setting surface casing on the subject well with a truck mounted air rig. The variance from the following requirements of Order #2 is requested because surface casing depth for this well is 2,200 feet and high pressures are not expected.

- 1. **Properly lubricated and maintained rotating head** A diverter system in place of a rotating head. The diverter system forces the air and cutting returns to the reserve pit and is used to drill the surface casing.
- 2. Blooie line discharge 100 feet from wellbore and securely anchored the blooie line discharge for this operation will be located 50 to 70 feet from the wellhead. This reduced length is necessary due to the smaller location size to minimize surface disturbance.
- 3. Automatic igniter or continuous pilot light on blooie line a diffuser will be used rather than an automatic pilot/igniter. Water is injected into the compressed air and eliminates the need for a pilot light and the need for dust suppression equipment.
- 4. Compressors located in the opposite direction from the blooie line a minimum of 100 feet from the wellbore compressors located within 50 feet on the opposite side of the wellbore from the blooie line and is equipped with a 1) emergency kill switch on the driller's console, 2) pressure relief valves on the compressors, 3) spark arrestors on the motors.
- 5. Kill Fluid to control well In lieu of having mud products on location to kill the well for an unanticipated kick, Questar will kill the well with water contained in a 400 bbl tank on site. The 400 bbl water tank will also be storage for surface casing cement water.

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- 6. **Deflector on the end of the blooie line** Questar will mount a deflector unit at the end of the blooie line for the purpose of changing the direction and velocity of the air and cuttings flow into the reserve pit. Changing the velocity and direction of the cuttings and air will preserve the pit liner. In the event the deflector washes out due to erosion caused by the sand blasting effect of the cuttings, there will be no problem because the deflector is mounted on the very end of the blooie. A washed out deflector will be easily replaced.
- 7. Flare Pit there will be no need of a flare pit during the surface hole air drilling operation because the blooie line is routed directly to the reserve pit. When the big rig arrives for the main drilling after setting surface casing, a flare box will be installed and all flare lines will be routed to the flare box.
- G. All other operations and equipment for air/gas drilling shall meet specifications in Onshore Order #2, Section III Requirements, subsection E. Special Drilling Operations and Onshore Order #1.

Surface hole will be drilled with air, air/mist, foam, or mud depending on hole conditions. Intermediate and production holes will be drilled with water based drilling fluids consisting primarily of fresh water, bentonite, lignite, caustic, lime, soda ash and polymers. No chromates will be used. Maximum anticipated mud weight is 13.5 ppg.

No minimum quantity of weight material will be required to be kept on location.

PVT/Flow Show will be used from base of surface casing to TD.

Gas detector will be used from surface casing depth to TD.

#### 7. Testing, logging and coring program

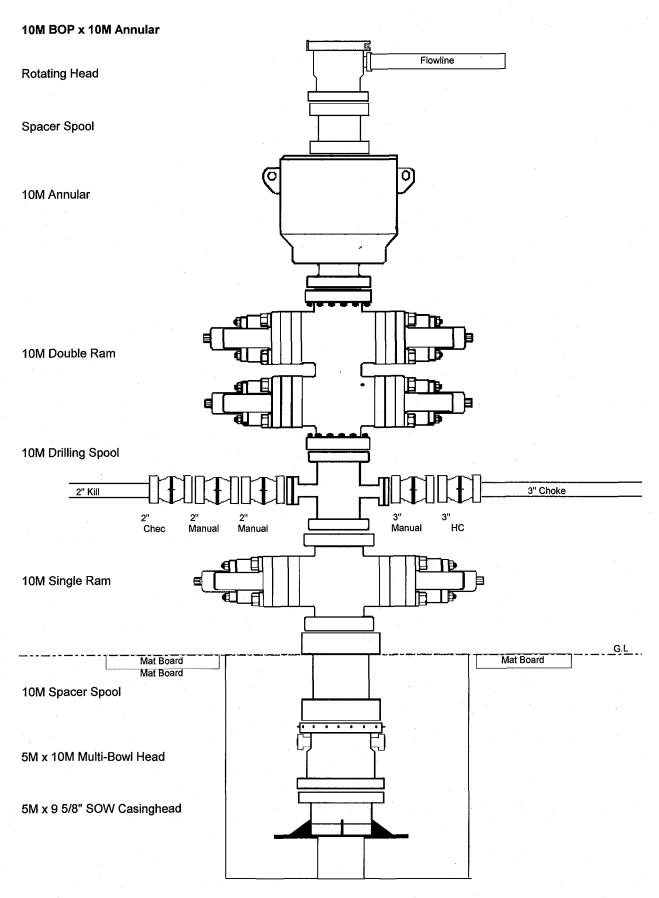
- A. Cores none anticipated
- B. DST none anticipated
- C. Logging Mud logging 3,000' to TD GR-SP-Induction, Neutron Density, FMI
- D. Formation and Completion Interval: Dakota, Mancos, Mesaverde, Wasatch intervals, final determination of completion will be made by analysis of logs.
   Stimulation Stimulation will be designed for the particular area of interest as encountered.

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#### 8. Anticipated Abnormal Pressures and Temperatures, Other Potential Hazards

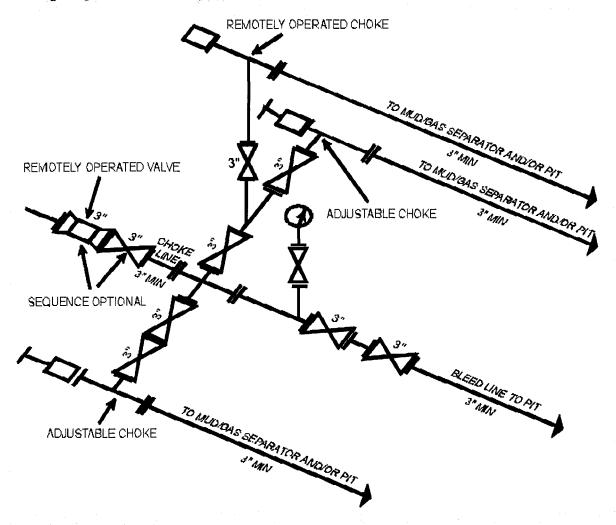
No abnormal temperatures or pressures are anticipated. No H2S has been encountered in or known to exist from previous wells drilled to similar depths in the general area. Maximum anticipated bottom hole pressure equals approximately 9,610 psi. Maximum anticipated bottom hole temperature is 260° F.

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Attachment I. Diagrams of Choke Manifold Equipment



I-4 10M and 15M Choke Manifold Equipment -- Configuration of chokes may vary

[54 FR 39528, Sept. 27, 1989]

Last Updated March 25, 1997 by John Broderick

# QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO. NBZ 3D-30-8-24 696' FNL 2005' FWL NENW, SECTION 30, T8S, R24E UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH LEASE # UTU-77301

#### **ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1**

#### **MULTI – POINT SURFACE USE & OPERATIONS PLAN**

An onsite inspection was conducted for the NBZ 3D-30-8-24 on August 28, 2007. Weather conditions were hot and sunny at the time of the onsite. In attendance at the inspection were the following individuals:

Paul Buhler Bureau of Land Management
Dixie Sadier Bureau of Land Management

Don Allred

Monty Phillippi
Raymond Pallesen
Jan Nelson

Uintah Engineering & Land Surveying
Questar Exploration & Production, Co.
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#### 1. Existing Roads:

The proposed well site is approximately 36 miles south of Vernal, Utah.

Refer to Topo Maps A and B for location of access roads within a 2 - mile radius.

There will be no improvements made to existing roads.

#### 2. Planned Access Roads:

Please see Questar Exploration & Production company Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields in Townships 07, 08 & 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

Refer to Topo Map B for the location of the proposed access road.

#### . Location of Existing Wells Within a 1 - Mile Radius:

Please refer to Topo Map C.

#### Location of Existing & Proposed Facilities:

Please see Questar Exploration & Production company Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields in Townships 07, 08 & 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

Refer to Topo Map D for the location of the proposed pipeline.

It was determined on the onsite by the BLM VFO AO that the facilities will be painted Carlsbad Canyon.

Pipeline will be 6" or smaller.

#### 5. Location and Type of Water Supply:

Please see Questar Exploration & Production company Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields in Townships 07, 08 & 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

#### 6. Source of Construction Materials:

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#### 7. Methods of Handling Waste Materials:

Please see Questar Exploration & Production company Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields in Townships 07, 08 & 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

An enhanced evaporation system will be used for evaporating fluids from reserve pit after drilling and completion are completed for this well. The system will be monitored regularly to ensure that operation is being done in a safe and environmentally protective manner. The system will be controlled during daylight hours by our lease operators and the pump will only be operated when wind direction and velocity are favorable to eliminate over - spray on vegetation. The evaporation system is structured on a fifth wheel portable trailer that runs on diesel fuel only.

#### 8. Ancillary Facilities:

Please see Questar Exploration & Production company Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields in Townships 07, 08 & 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

#### 9. Well Site Layout: (See Location Layout Diagram)

The attached Location Layout Diagram describes drill pad cross-sections, cuts and fills and locations of the mud tanks, reserve pit, flare pit, pipe racks, trailer parking, spoil dirt stockpile(s), and surface material stockpile(s).

Please see the attached diagram to describe rig orientation, parking areas, and access roads.

A pit liner is required. A felt liner will be required if bedrock is encountered.

#### 10. Plans for Reclamation of the Surface:

Please see Questar Exploration & Production company Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields in Townships 07, 08 & 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

#### Interim Reclamation

Please see attached Interim Reclamation plan.

Once the well is put onto production, Questar Exploration & Production Company will reclaim as much of the well pad as possible that will allow for operations to continue in a safe and reasonable manner. Reseeding will be done in the spring and fall of each year to allow winter precipitation to aid in the success of reclaimation.

#### Seed Mix:

Interim Reclamation: 6 lbs. Hycrest Crested Wheat 6 lbs. Needle & Threadgrass

Final Reclamation:

Seed Mix # 2 3 lbs. Western Wheatgrass, 3 lbs. Needle & Threadgrass, 2 lbs. Fourwing Saltbush 1 lb. Globe Mellow, 4 lbs. Hycrest Crested Wheat

#### 11. Surface Ownership:

The well pad and access road are located on lands owned by:

Bureau of Land Management 170 South 500 East Vernal, Utah 84078

#### 12. Other Information

A Class III archaeological survey was conducted by Montgomery Archaeology Consultants. A copy of this report was submitted directly to the appropriate agencies by Montgomery Archaeology Consultants. Cultural resource clearance was recommended for this location.

A Class III paleontological survey was conducted by Intermountain Paleo Consulting. A copy of this report was submitted directly to the appropriate agencies by Stephen D. Sandau. The inspection resulted in the location of Myton formational sediments. Therefore, a Paleo monitor will be present during construction.

# QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION, CO. Request for Exception to Buried Pipeline For NBZ 3D-30-8-24

QEP respectfully requests an exception to burying this pipeline. We understand the standard Condition of Approval (COA) that may be included in the approved Application for Permit to Drill (APD) is: "As a Best Management Practice (BMP), the pipeline would be buried within the identified construction width of an access corridor that contains the access road and pipelines. The construction width for the access corridor would increase from 30 feet, by an additional 20 feet, to a total of 50 feet. Exceptions to this BMP may be granted where laterally extensive, hard indurated bedrock, such as sandstone, is at or within 2 feet of the surface; and, soil types with a poor history of successful rehabilitation." QEP will install the pipeline within the access corridor and will avoid cross-country installation when possible. Our reason for requesting a surface line is based on the following justification:

#### **Class IV VRM**

- This area's designated Visual Resource Management is classified as Class IV. The Class IV objective is to provide for management activities that require major modification to the existing character of the landscape. The level of change to the landscape can be high. The management activities may dominate the view and may be the major focus of the viewer attention. However, every attempt should be made to minimize the impact of these activities through careful location, minimal disturbance, and repetition of the basic visual elements of form, line, color, and texture.
- QEP feels that surface pipe will comply with this classification more so than buried pipe due to the amount of surface disturbance that will be required to bury it. We believe surface installation within the access corridor will minimize the disturbance so that the pipeline does not dominate the view.

#### **Environmental and Safety Concerns**

- Buried pipe will greatly increase surface disturbance and habitat fragmentation.
  The soil in this area has a poor history of successful rehabilitation. Buried pipe will have an increased corrosion rate and would need to be dug up for repairs or replacement; the constant surface disturbance will not allow time for successful reclamation.
- Increasing surface disturbance will greatly increase noxious and invasive weed infestation.

- With the increased corrosion rate, buried pipe may have undetectable leaks that could go unnoticed for months. Small leaks may turn into large plumes of underground hazards because they are not easily monitored and not seen right away. An undetected leak also increases the potential for explosive incidents. Once detected, the surface will need to be disturbed, once again, to dig up the line and replace or repair it.
- Accidents associated with pipe breaks during construction activities could increase substantially as the number of buried lines increases.
- The additional surface disturbance will increase the risk of disturbing paleontological sites.

#### **Operational and Mechanical Concerns for Gas Lines**

- Cathodic protection will be required for buried pipe. Cathodic protection requires anode beds that must be maintained. This will add substantial costs in labor and material. Additional power lines will need to be installed to the anode beds. The additional costs for equipment and labor will be approximately \$50,000.00 per section.
- Pipeline markers need to be used with buried pipe. This will add costs in labor and material.
- Every tie in requires a valve. The average distance between valves is approximately ¼ mile. Valves will have to be placed in "freeze boxes" or "valve boxes". Valve boxes will be considered confined space which increases the manpower needed to repair or replace valves. Every valve box will also require bright yellow guard rails.
- Additional equipment required for buried pipe can include blades/dozers, trenchers (cutting or blasting in hard rock), side booms, etc. which increases installation costs.
- Buried pipe must have fusion bonded epoxy (FBE) coating. FBE pipe will cost an additional \$2.00 per foot compared to bare pipe.
- This pipeline has the potential for being upgraded/upsized to a larger pipe diameter depending on production volumes. If upsizing is required, the pipe will need to be dug up which will cause additional surface disturbance and will not allow adequate time for successful reclamation.
- Surface lines are sometimes relocated to accommodate new locations; this is done in an effort to minimize the amount of pipe needed and the amount of surface disturbed. If this pipe is buried, this will no longer be an option.

#### Lessee's or Operator's Representative:

Jan Nelson Red Wash Rep. Questar Expl. & Prod. Co. 11002 East 17500 South Vernal, Utah 84078 (435) 781-4331

#### Certification:

All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with all applicable laws, regulations, Onshore Oil & Gas Orders, the approved plan of operations, and any applicable Notice to Lessees.

Questar Exploration & Production Company will be fully responsible for the actions of their subcontractors.

A complete copy of the approved Application for Permit to Drill will be furnished to the field representative(s) to ensure compliance and shall be on location during all construction and drilling operations.

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by Questar Exploration & Production Company, it's contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

Jan Nelson

Red Wash Representative

12/29/2008

Date

## QUESTAR EXPLR. & PROD.

NBZ #3D-30-8-24 LOCATED IN UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH **SECTION 30, T8S, R24E, S.L.B.&M.** 

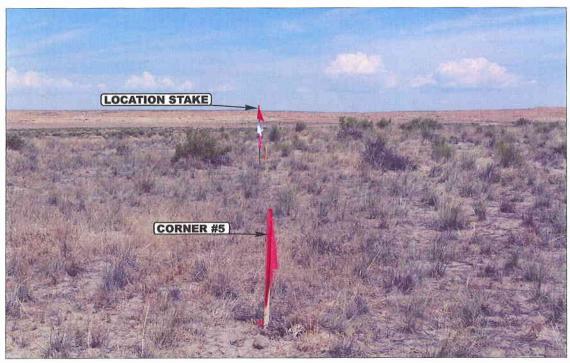


PHOTO: VIEW FROM CORNER #5 TO LOCATION STAKE

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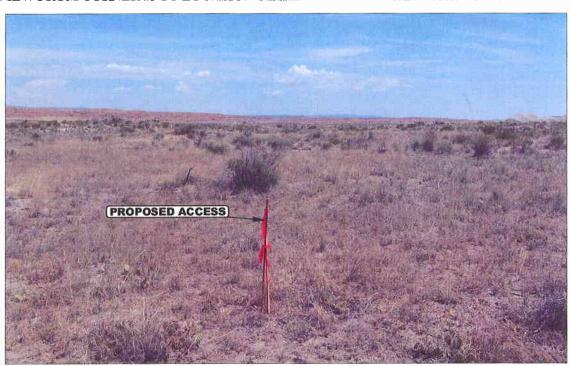
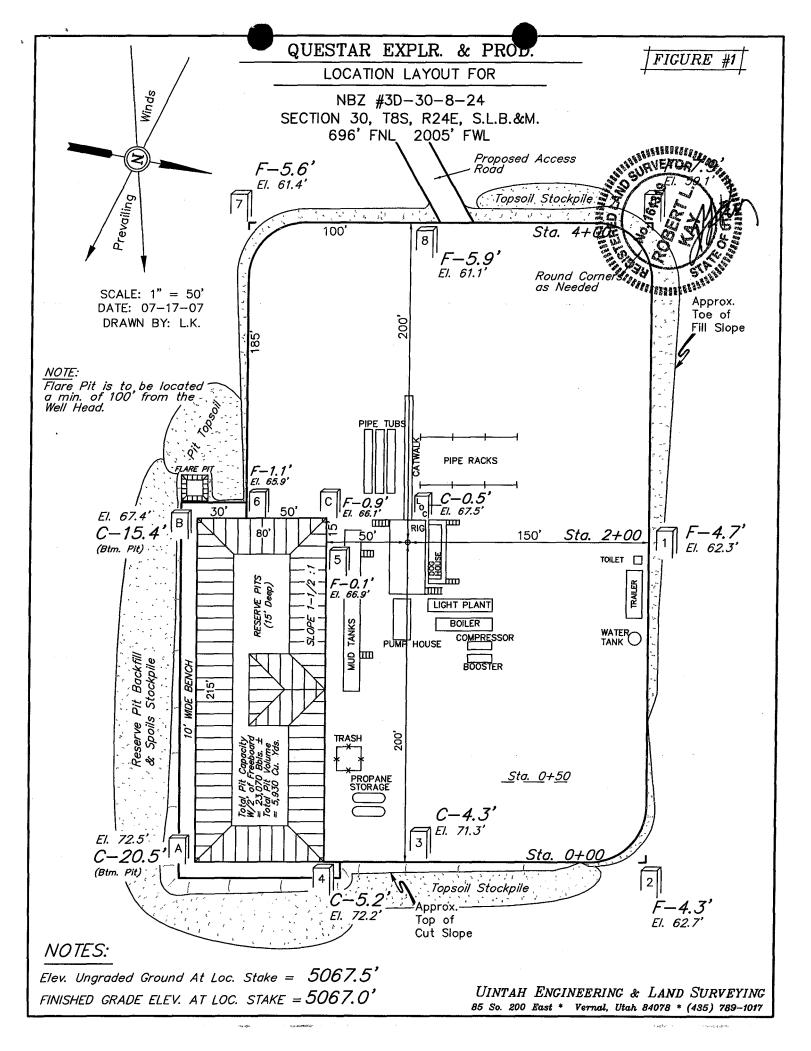


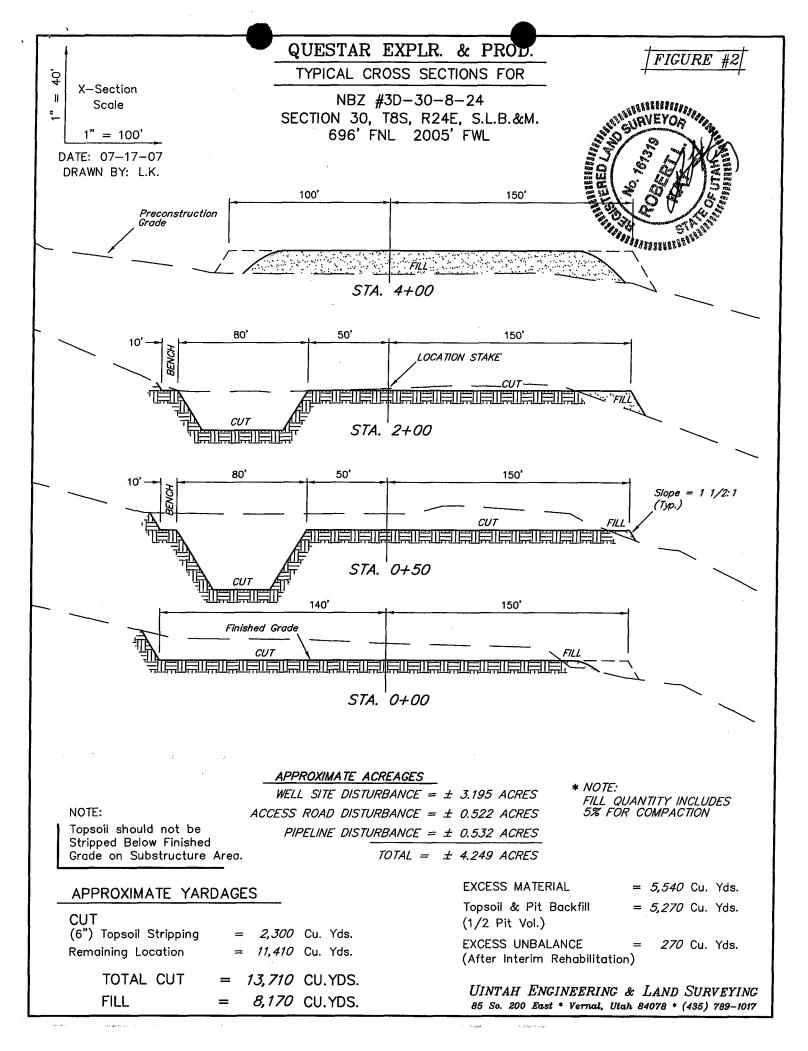
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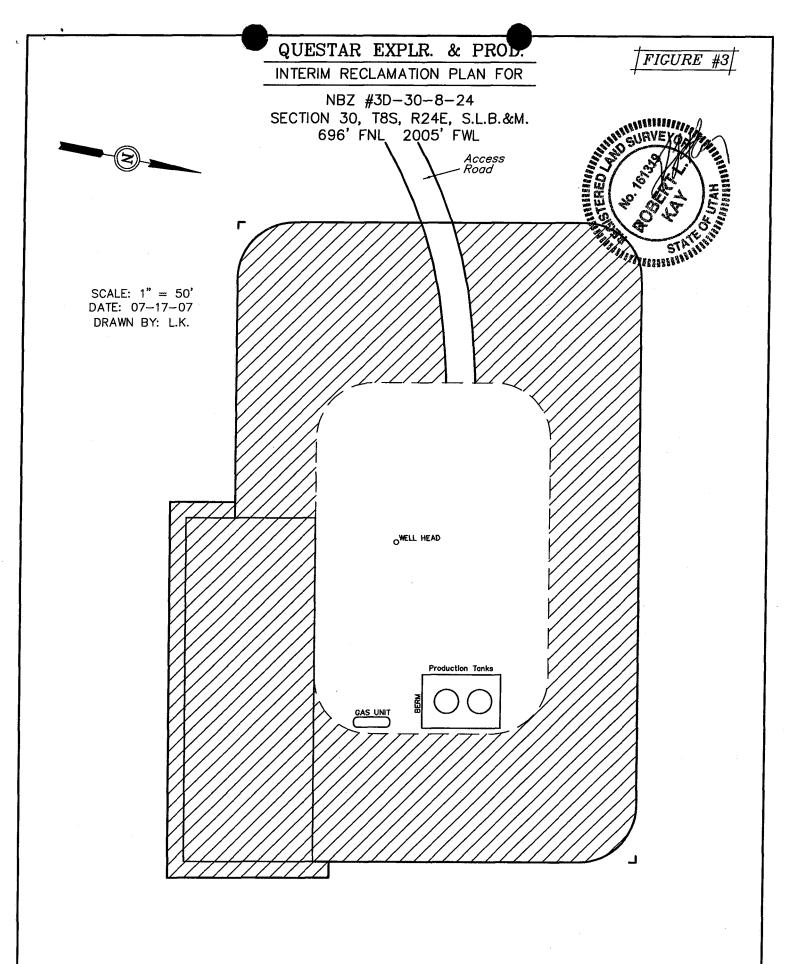
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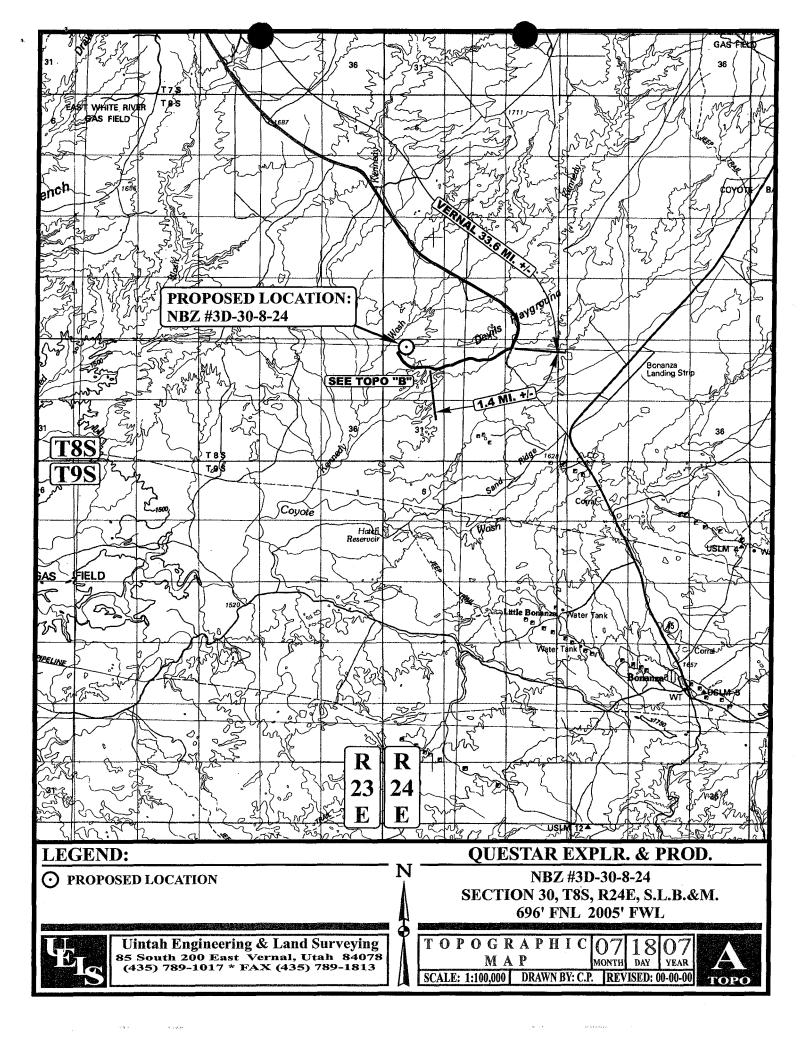


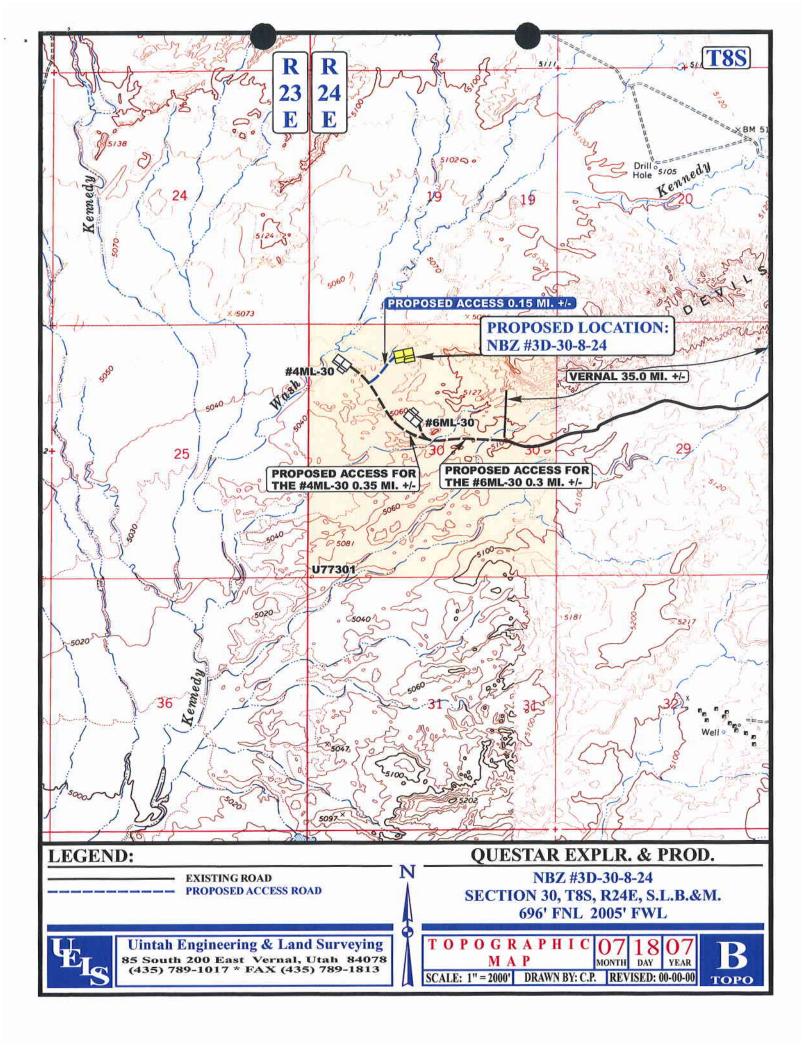


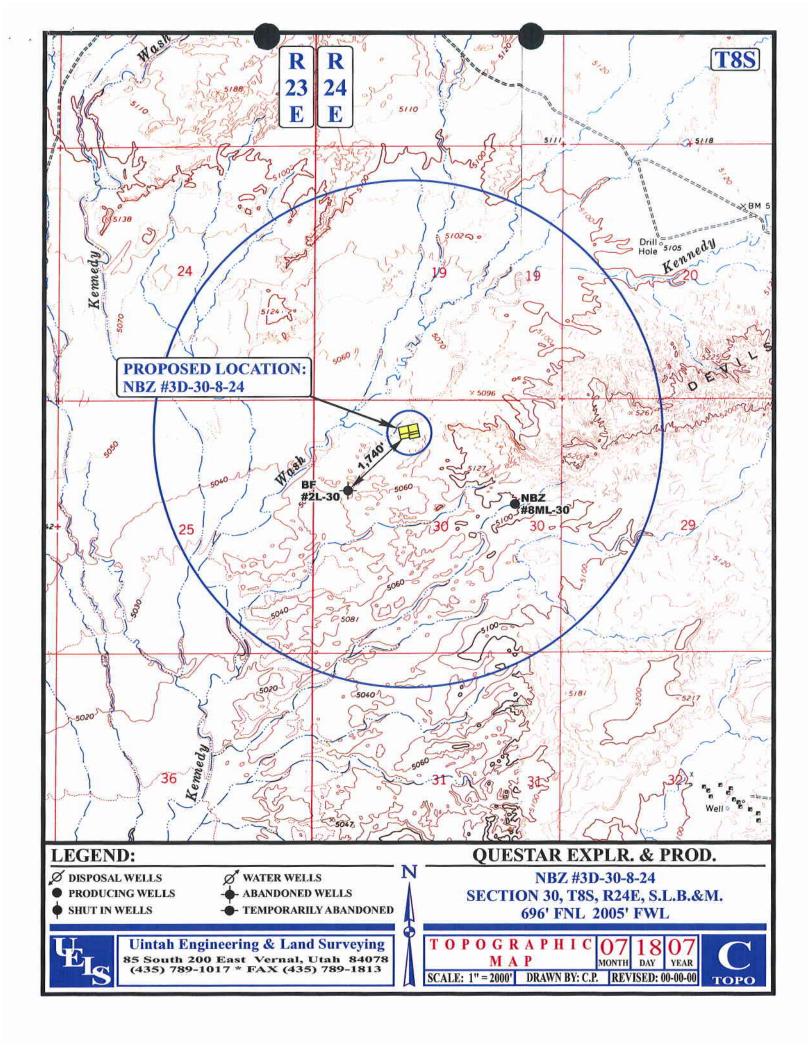


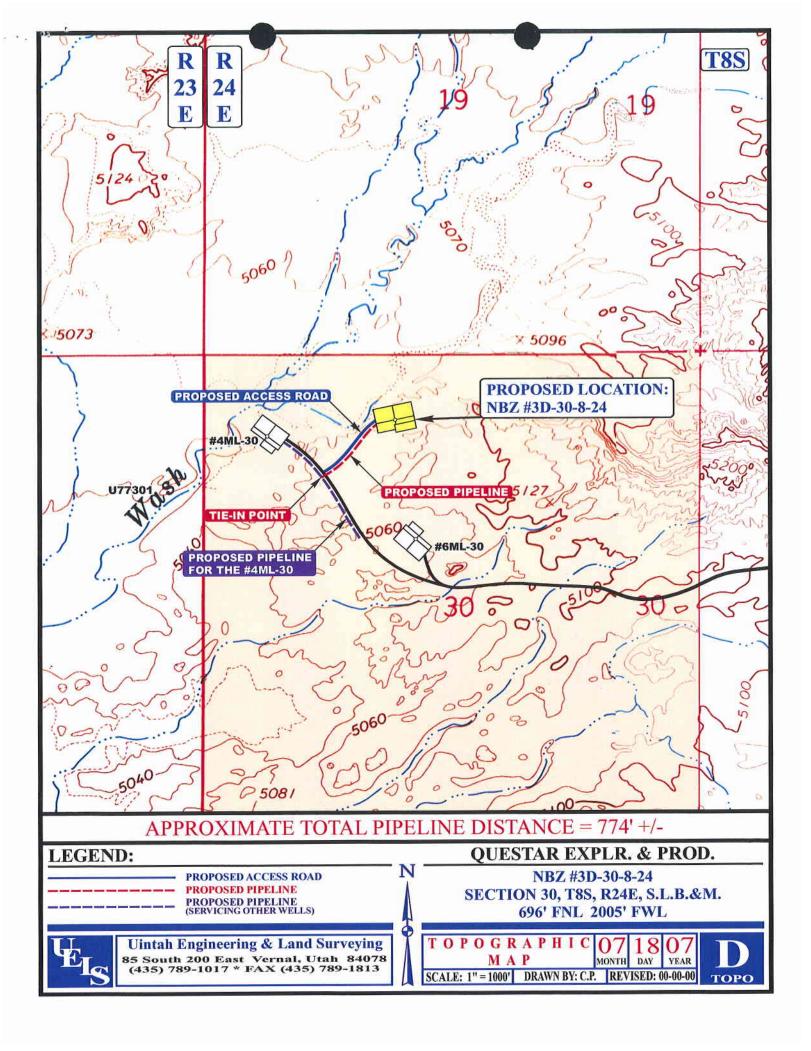










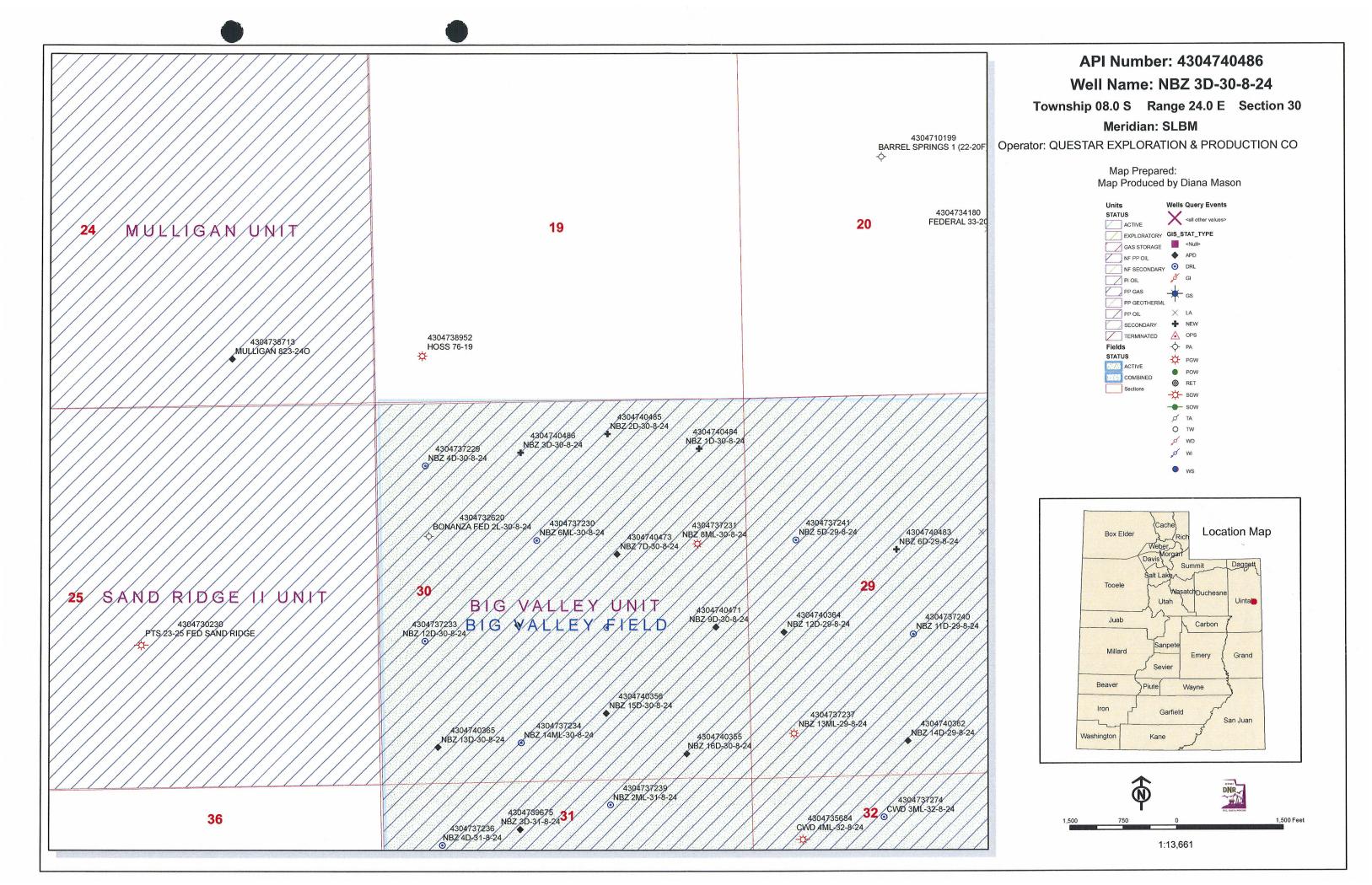


#### WORKSHEET



APD RECEIVED: 01/08/2009	API NO. ASSIGNED: 43-047-40486
WELL NAME: NBZ 3D-30-8-24  OPERATOR: QUESTAR EXPLORATION & ( N5085 )  CONTACT: JAN NELSON	PHONE NUMBER: 435-781-4331
PROPOSED LOCATION:	INSPECT LOCATN BY: / /
NENW 30 080S 240E	Tech Review Initials Date
SURFACE: 0696 FNL 2005 FWL BOTTOM: 0696 FNL 2005 FWL	Engineering
COUNTY: UINTAH	Geology
LATITUDE: 40.09894 LONGITUDE: -109.2581 UTM SURF EASTINGS: 648478 NORTHINGS: 44399	Surface
FIELD NAME: BIG VALLEY ( 791	
LEASE TYPE: 1 - Federal  LEASE NUMBER: UTU-77301  SURFACE OWNER: 1 - Federal	PROPOSED FORMATION: DKTA COALBED METHANE WELL? NO
Plat  Bond: Fed[1] Ind[] Sta[] Fee[]  (No. ESB000024 )  Potash (Y/N)  Oil Shale 190-5 (B) or 190-3 or 190-13  Water Permit  (No. 49-2153 )  RDCC Review (Y/N)  (Date: )  MMA Fee Surf Agreement (Y/N)  Intent to Commingle (Y/N)	LOCATION AND SITING:  R649-2-3.  Unit: BIG VALLEY ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** **
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## State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Executive Director

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA

Division Director

January 12, 2009

Questar Exploration & Production Company 11002 E 17500 S Vernal, UT 84078

Re:

NBZ 3D-30-8-24 Well, 696' FNL, 2005' FWL, NE NW, Sec. 30, T. 8 South, R. 24 East,

Uintah County, Utah

#### Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the provisions and requirements of Utah Code Ann. § 40-6-1 et seq., Utah Administrative Code R649-3-1 et seq., and the attached Conditions of Approval, approval to drill the referenced well is granted.

This approval shall expire one year from the above date unless substantial and continuous operation is underway, or a request for extension is made prior to the expiration date. The API identification number assigned to this well is 43-047-40486.

Sincerely,

Stigth

Gil Hunt

Associate Director

pab **Enclosures** 

cc: '

**Uintah County Assessor** 

Bureau of Land Management, Vernal Office



<b>Operator:</b>	Questar Exploration & Production Company					
Well Name & Number	NBZ 3D-30-8-24					
API Number:	43-047-40486 UTU-77301					
Location: NE NW	<b>Sec.</b> 30	T. 8 South	<b>R.</b> _24 East_			

#### **Conditions of Approval**

1. General

Compliance with the requirements of Utah Admin. R. 649-1 *et seq.*, the Oil and Gas Conservation General Rules, and the applicable terms and provisions of the approved Application for permit to drill.

2. Notification Requirements

Notify the division within 24 hours of spudding the well.

• Contact Carol Daniels at (801) 538-5284.

Notify the Division prior to commencing operations to plug and abandon the well.

• Contact Dustin Doucet at (801) 538-5281 (801) 733-0983 home

3. Reporting Requirements

All required reports, forms and submittals will be promptly filed with the Division, including but not limited to the Entity Action Form (Form 6), Report of Water Encountered During Drilling (Form 7), Weekly Progress Reports for drilling and completion operations, and Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells requesting approval of change of plans or other operational actions.

- 4. State approval of this well does not supersede the required federal approval, which must be obtained prior to drilling.
- 5. This proposed well is located in an area for which drilling units (well spacing patterns) have not been established through an order of the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining (the "Board"). In order to avoid the possibility of waste or injury to correlative rights, the operator is requested, once the well has been drilled, completed, and has produced, to analyze geological and engineering data generated therefrom, as well as any similar data from surrounding areas if available. As soon as is practicable after completion of its analysis, and if the analysis suggests an area larger than the quarter-quarter section upon which the well is located is being drained, the operator is requested to seek an appropriate order from the Board establishing drilling and spacing units in conformance with such analysis by filing a Request for Agency Action with the Board.

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING  SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS  Do not use this form for proposals to drill new wells, significantly deepen existing wells below current bottom-hole depth, reenter plugged wells, or to drill horizontal laterals. Use APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO PRILL form for such proposals.  1. TYPE OF WELL Gas Well  2. NAME OF OPERATOR: QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO  3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR: 11002 East 17500 South , Vernal, UT, 84078  435 781-4362 Ext  4. LOCATION OF WELL OFFICE OF SUBMISSION  PHONE NUMBER: QUT/Qtr: NENW Section: 30 Township: 08.05 Range: 24.0E Meridian: S  11.  CHECK APPROPRIATE BOXES TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA  TYPE OF SUBMISSION  TYPE OF ACTION  ACIDIZE ALTER CASING ACIDIZE CHANGE TUBING ACID TO THE TUBING ACIDIZE CHANGE TUBING ACIDIZE CHANGE TUBING ACID
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□ CURSTQUENT REPORT □ DEEPEN □ FRACTURE TREAT □ NEW CONSTRUCTION
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☐ PRODUCTION START OR RESUME ☐ RECLAMATION OF WELL SITE ☐ RECOMPLETE DIFFERENT FORMATION
□ SPUD REPORT □ Date of Spud: □ REPERFORATE CURRENT FORMATION □ SIDETRACK TO REPAIR WELL □ TEMPORARY ABANDON
☐ TUBING REPAIR ☐ VENT OR FLARE ☐ WATER DISPOSAL
☐ DRILLING REPORT ☐ WATER SHUTOFF ☐ SI TA STATUS EXTENSION ✓ APD EXTENSION
Report Date:
12. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertinent details including dates, depths, volumes, etc.  Questar Exploration and Production Company hereby requests a one year
extension for the APD on the above captioned well.  Approved by the Utah Division of
Ottan Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
Date: January 11, 2010
By: Dolly III
NAME (PLEASE PRINT)  Jan Nelson  435 781-4331  PHONE NUMBER Permit Agent
SIGNATURE   DATE   1/11/2010



#### The Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining

- State of Utah
- Department of Natural Resources

**Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices** 

#### Request for Permit Extension Validation Well Number 43047404860000

**API:** 43047404860000 Well Name: NBZ 3D-30-8-24

Location: 0696 FNL 2005 FWL QTR NENW SEC 30 TWNP 080S RNG 240E MER S

Company Permit Issued to: QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO

**Date Original Permit Issued:** 1/12/2009

The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not

ire revision. Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.
<ul> <li>If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated? </li> <li>Yes </li> <li>No</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location?</li> <li>Yes</li> <li>No</li> </ul>
• Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well?  Yes No
• Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or rightof- way, which could affect the proposed location?  Yes  No
• Has the approved source of water for drilling changed? 🔘 Yes 📵 No
• Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation?   Yes  No
• Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well?   • Yes   • No Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
nature: lan Nelson Date: 1/11/2010

Title: Permit Agent Representing: QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTIO Pete:

#### Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

#### **OPERATOR CHANGE WORKSHEET**

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ROUTING	
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Change of Operator (Well Sold)				Х-	Operator	· Name Chan	ge		
The operator of the well(s) listed below has changed, effective:						6/14/2010			
FROM: (Old Operator): N5085-Questar Exploration and Production Company 1050 17th St, Suite 500 Denver, CO 80265			TO: ( New Operator): N3700-QEP Energy Company 1050 17th St, Suite 500 Denver, CO 80265						
Phone: 1 (303) 308-3048				Phone: 1 (303	) 308-3048				
CA No.				Unit: BIG VA			ALLEY		
WELL NAME	SEC	TWN	RNG	API NO	ENTITY NO	LEASE TYPE	WELL TYPE	WELL STATUS	
SEE ATTACHED									
	<u></u>								
OPERATOR CHANGES DOCUMENT Enter date after each listed item is completed 1. (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was			rom the	<b>EODMED</b> on	orotor on	6/28/2010			
2. (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was						6/28/2010	-		
3. The new company was checked on the <b>Depart</b> :							-	6/24/2010	
4a. Is the new operator registered in the State of U		or Con		Business Number		764611-0143		0/24/2010	
5a. (R649-9-2)Waste Management Plan has been re	ceive	d on:		Requested			-		
5b. Inspections of LA PA state/fee well sites comp	lete o	n:		n/a	<del></del>				
5c. Reports current for Production/Disposition & S				ok	_				
6. Federal and Indian Lease Wells: The BL	M an	d or the	e BIA h	as approved th	e merger, na	me change,			
or operator change for all wells listed on Federa	al or I	ndian 1	leases o	n:	BLM	8/16/2010	BIA	not yet	
7. Federal and Indian Units:								···	
The BLM or BIA has approved the successor					ı:	8/16/2010	_		
8. Federal and Indian Communization Ag	reem	ents (	"CA")	<b>)</b> :			-		
The BLM or BIA has approved the operator is						N/A	_		
9. Underground Injection Control ("UIC"							ity to		
Inject, for the enhanced/secondary recovery un	it/pro	ject for	r the wa	ter disposal we	ell(s) listed o	n:	6/29/2010	_	
DATA ENTRY:									
1. Changes entered in the Oil and Gas Database				6/30/2010	_				
2. Changes have been entered on the Monthly Op	perato	or Cha	nge Sp		•	6/30/2010	•		
3. Bond information entered in RBDMS on:				6/30/2010	<b>-</b> ,				
4. Fee/State wells attached to bond in RBDMS on				6/30/2010	_				
<ul><li>5. Injection Projects to new operator in RBDMS of</li><li>6. Receipt of Acceptance of Drilling Procedures for</li></ul>		T)/NTavv		6/30/2010					
BOND VERIFICATION:	UI AI	DINCH	OII.		n/a				
1. Federal well(s) covered by Bond Number:				EGD000004					
2. Indian well(s) covered by Bond Number:			•	ESB000024	_				
3a. (R649-3-1) The <b>NEW</b> operator of any state/fe	e well	l(c) liet	ed cove	965010693	_ lumbor	065010605			
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<ol> <li>(R649-2-10) The NEW operator of the fee wells of their responsibility to notify all interest owner</li> </ol>	uas D • of +	bie cho	macted	and informed t		om the Division			
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
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	5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NUMBER: See attached				
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2 NAME OF OPERATOR: Questar Exploration and	Production Company N5	085	9. API NUMBER: Attached		
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APPROVED 61301 2009
Carlene Russell
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
Earlene Russell, Engineering Technician

# Questar Exploration Production Company (N5085) to QEP Energy Company (N3700) BIG VALLEY effective June 14, 2010

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NBZ 9D-29-8-24	29			4304737241	16632	Federal	GW	OPS	C
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Bonds: BLM = ESB000024 BIA = 956010693 State = 965010695

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RWS 11D-5-9-24	05			4304739503		Federal	GW	APD	С
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Bonds: BLM = ESB000024 BIA = 956010693 State = 965010695



### **United States Department of the Interior**



#### BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Utah State Office P.O. Box 45155 Salt Lake City, UT 84145-0155 http://www.blm.gov/ut/st/en.html

IN REPLY REFER TO: 3100 (UT-922)

JUL 2 8 2010

Memorandum

To:

Vernal Field Office, Price Field Office, Moab Field Office Roja L Bankert

From:

Chief, Branch of Minerals

Subject:

Name Change Recognized

Attached is a copy of the Certificate of Name Change issued by the Texas Secretary of State and a decision letter recognizing the name change from the Eastern States Office. We have updated our records to reflect the name change in the attached list of leases.

The name change from Questar Exploration and Production Company into QEP Energy Company is effective June 8, 2010.

cc:

**MMS UDOGM** 

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS a mine

	STATE OF UTAH				FORM 9
	DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING			5.LEAS UTU-7	E DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NUMBER: 7301
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NAME (PLEASE PRINT) Jan Nelson	PHONE NUMBER 435 781-4331	2	TITLE Permit Agent		
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### The Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining

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**Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices** 

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Valyn Davis	435 781-4369	Regulatory Affairs Analyst	
SIGNATURE N/A		<b>DATE</b> 1/11/2012	

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nature: Valyn Davis Date: 1/11/2012	

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Title: Regulatory Affairs Analyst Representing: QEP ENERGY COMPANY

Form 3160-5 (August 2007)

#### **UNITED STATES** DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 1004-0135 Expires: July 31, 2010

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	UTU77301
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SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS			UTU77301			
Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals					6. If Indian, Allottee	or Tribe Name
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1. Type of Well				8. Well Name and No		
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2. Name of Operator QEP ENERGY COMPANY	Contact: E-Mail: Valyn.Davi	VALYN DAV s@qepres.cor			9. API Well No. 43-047-40486-00-X1	
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# **CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

# **QEP ENERGY COMPANY**

## **Notice of Intent APD Extension**

Lease:

UTU-77301

Well:

NBZ 3D-30-8-24

Location:

NENW Sec 30-T8S-R24E

An extension for the referenced APD is granted as requested with the following conditions:

- 1. The extension and APD shall expire on 01/11/2014.
- 2. No other extension shall be granted.

If you have any other questions concerning this matter, please contact Robin L Hansen of this office at (435) 781-2777

Sundry Number: 33764 API Well Number: 43047404860000

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NAME (PLEASE PRINT) Valyn Davis	<b>PHONE NUMBE</b> 435 781-4369	Regulatory Affairs Analyst	
SIGNATURE N/A		<b>DATE</b> 1/10/2013	

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Title: Regulatory Affairs Analyst Representing: QEP ENERGY COMPANY

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# State of Utah

### DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

MICHAEL R. STYLER

Executive Director

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA
Division Director

Valyn Davis QEP Energy Company 11002 E 17500 S Vernal, UT 84087 January 13, 2015

43 047 40486 NBZ 3D-30-8-24 30 85 24E

Re: APDs Rescinded QEP Energy Company, Uintah County

Dear Ms. Davis:

Enclosed find the list of APDs that you asked to be rescinded. No drilling activity at these locations has been reported to the division. Therefore, approval to drill these wells is hereby rescinded as of January 13, 2015.

A new APD must be filed with this office for approval <u>prior</u> to the commencement of any future work on the subject location.

If any previously unreported operations have been performed on this well location, it is imperative that you notify the Division immediately.

Sincerely,

Diana Mason

**Environmental Scientist** 

cc: Well File

Bureau of Land Management, Vernal



43-047-38970- WV 7BML-24-8-21

43-047-40476- NBZ 2D-29-8-24

43-047-40479- RWS 6D-9-9-24

43-047-40483- NBZ 6D-29-8-24

43-047-40484- NBZ 1D-30-8-24

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